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Viking Clash With Brooks Buffalos in Alberta Final

(From the Viking News)

The Viking Shamrocks, Northern Alberta Intermediate "B" Champions, will meet the Brooks Buffalos, champions of the Southern Alberta "B" Intermediates, in a double-header at the Viking Sports grounds on Sunday, August 30. The first game is scheduled to commence at 2 o'clock p.m. and the second game at 4:30 p.m. Information is that the games will start promptly on time.

The two teams will resume play for the Alberta Championship at Brooks at a date in September to be announced. Brooks is about 200 miles straight south of Viking, and is famous for pheasant hunting and raising, and also for its comprehensive irrigation project.

News From The McKeens

During the holidays we received an airmail from Mrs. J. McKean of Nether Poppleton, York, England. She tells us that Betty and Ian have a new son, Ian William, born on May 29th. We have since heard that Betty and Ian and their two sons will be taking up residence in Italy. They have been in Turkey for two years or more. We also want to acknowledge the receipt of a post card with a picture of Tunawick Bay on the east coast of England where the former Margery McKean and her husband and small son were enjoying a summer holiday.

TEA, BAZAAR, BAKE SALE SATURDAY, SEPT. 5th
The Strawberry Plains W.I. are sponsoring a Tea, Bazaar and Bake Sale at the Legion Hall on Saturday, September 5th. 28c

Canada's deficit from current transactions in goods and services with other countries was \$1,112 million in 1958, compared to \$1,400 million 1957.

CHURCH SERVICES

SHARON LUTHERAN
Sunday, August 30th
Sunday School and Bible Class—10 a.m.
Divine Worship—11 a.m.
Luther League—8 p.m.
C. Magee, Pastor.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH
Service of Evensong will be held in St. Mary's Church on Sunday, August 30th at 2 p.m. The "Little Helpers" Rally will also be held at this service, so will all "Little Helpers" kindly bring in their "Mite Boxes" Thank you.
After the Service the "Little Helpers" and their parents are invited to the home of Mrs. R. W. Thurston for their party.

Weekly Inspirational Corner

(Sponsored by an Irma Times reader)

Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in me.

In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you.

And I go and prepare a place for you. I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also.

And whither I go ye know, and the way ye know.
Thomas saith unto Him, Lord, we know not whither thou goest; and how can we know the way?

Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.—John 14:1-6

Former Irma Businessman Dies

Word was received early this week that Mr. A. E. Foxwell, former resident and merchant at Irma, had passed away at Vancouver, Mr. Foxwell came here about 30 years ago—first he had the butcher store, formerly owned by Mr. Hatch—later he owned and operated a general store with meat counter. In 1944, because of ill health, he sold out his business to the Irma Co-op and moved to Vancouver where he resided ever since.

The sympathy of all at Irma is extended to Mrs. Foxwell and Joyce.

Northern Nuggets

A warm welcome is extended to Geoffrey Winters, elder son of Mrs. A. Knight, who arrived by plane from England on August 19th. Mr. and Mrs. Knight and Mary and Leonard motored to Edmonton to meet him. It must have been a very happy reunion. We understand that Geoffrey will take his Grade XII in Mannville and we wish him every success.

We wish to send greetings also to our old friend and neighbor, Mrs. E. Fleming on the occasion of her 78th birthday on Sept. 1st. Mrs. Fleming has been a resident of the Albert district since 1910 and we all wish her a very happy birthday.

On Monday afternoon a shower was held for Mrs. Jerry Wilson at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Fleming. During the afternoon Jean showed some beautiful colored pictures which her parents had taken this summer on their trip to Ontario. Mrs. Archibald made the presentation and after the gift had been duly admired, Jean thanked her friends and promised them a very welcome in Belgium. A dainty lunch brought this enjoyable afternoon to a close.

Mr. and Mrs. Hokan Larson and Mrs. C. Pyle drove to Evening, Sask last week to attend the funeral of an old family friend.

Mrs. Nash is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Gordon Ramsay and family.

AW2 Isabelle Prior spent last week in Edmonton with her cousin Ken Guy and family.

Mrs. Iona Ambler and boys have been recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robin Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jones and family drove to Calgary for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Spornitz have moved to their new home at Edgerton. Our best wishes go with them. During moving operations Ches shot a lynx and coyote.

Mrs. Allen Cox, Pat and Lynne returned to the city Monday evening after spending a week at the Currie farm.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my friends of Irma and the Irma district who remembered me with fruit cards, etc., while I was in the hospital in Great Falls. —Mrs. J. Burrell

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EASTERLY ECHOES

Linda, Ada and Dale Thompson of Edmonton are holidaying at the home of their uncle, Mr. Bill King.

The next meeting of the Battle River Ladies Club will be held at the home of Mrs. W. Veer, Thursday, September 3. Hostess, Mrs. E. Fenton; Raffle, Mrs. Dootson; Program, Mrs. Dempsey; Roll Call, Favorite Pickle Recipe.

Miss Claire Budgdon of Penitence, B.C., is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. S. Fenton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Fenton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ford Jr., Mr. Charlie Younker and Miss Kate Younker attended the dinner in honor of Mr. Henry Ruste M.P. in Wainwright.

Miss Judy Elliott spent a few days in the city, returning Sunday with Mrs. E. C. Elliott, Art Elliott and Miss Emily Bauer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carter of New Westminster, B.C., their daughter, Mrs. W. Milne and baby Linda of Edmonton, spent a few days with relatives and renewing acquaintances.

"Sunday visitors at the J. J. Kennedy home were Mr. and Mrs. J. Carter, Mrs. W. Milne and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harris, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hubbard and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Bars and family, Mrs. Knowles and Roy Burton.

Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Holt returned from the city during the week with their son, Bill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Jackson were Sunday visitors at the Joshua Holt home. On Sunday the four generations were present at Mr. Holt's. Mr. Holt, his son Bill of Vancouver, B.C. grandson Thomas and small son of New Westminster, B.C.

Jim Carter showed several interesting films of their travels, etc. at the J. J. Kennedy home on Sunday evening to a full house and at the Frank Crabbe home on Monday evening to relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Van Dyke and family visited with Julius Stougard recently.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Sanders of Bradner, B.C. arrived in Wainwright on the Supercontinental on Monday. The weatherman was doing his stuff as the heavy clouds had cleared shortly before the train was due.

The Dootson's are enjoying using the natural gas, having it installed on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Fenton spent Sunday evening at the Harry Long home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Weise of Wainwright, their daughter, Mrs. Thompson and Lynn of Santiago, California, were Sunday visitors at the Art Long home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Creasy and family visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Sutter of Hardisty. While there they visited with Martin's aunt, Mrs. Martin Dall of Windsor, Ont.

Marlene and Joyce Bartholow of Sundre, visited at the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. Jackson last week.

The next meeting of the Strawberry Plains W.I. will be held on Thursday, September 17 at the home of Mrs. E. Tomlinson. Hostesses, Mrs. E. Tomlinson and Mrs. T. Hill; Raffle, Mrs. Johnson.

Carol and Brian Johnston of Edmonton have been holidaying with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Johnston. They returned home with their father, Mr. Ivan Johnston at the weekend.

Jarrow News

Mr. Frank Allen is home again after being a patient in Wainwright hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Bridgeman and Gordon left on Thursday for Coalinga, California to visit with Stan's sister and family, Mrs. Deverick, and possibly to make their future home there. The best wishes of the community go with them.

The weatherman co-operated on Wednesday afternoon when 28 children and teachers enjoyed the Jarrow Sunday School picnic. Following a sing-song, games, races and a peanut scramble started the campfire was then started and all enjoyed the winner roast and toasted marshmallows, bringing a pleasant afternoon to a close.

Mr. and Mrs. Osborne of Marlboro, visited at the G. Bridgeman home over the weekend.

Janet and Carol Sonoff of Edmonton spent last week at the home of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C. Sonoff.

Maureen and Lenny Orachecki of Wainwright spent the weekend at the G. Matthews home, while their parents were visiting in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whitton and family, who are here from the coast, visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. Gordon Meakins, during the past week.

On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. G. Meakins and family motored to Coar to visit with the Dave Brooks family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Meakins accompanied relatives from Edmonton on a trip to Spokane, Washington, where they will visit with Mrs. Meakins' sister, then to Vancouver where they will visit with other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Beer and son of Castor visited over the weekend at the H. Beer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meakins family of Edmonton, also visited with relatives in the district on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Holt of Edmonton are visiting at the C. Holt home.

The Jarrow W.A. meets at the Manse on Tuesday, September 1 at 2:30 p.m. Hostesses; Mrs. Beer and Miss Pallister. Visitors always welcome.

Echo - Rodino

Little Kim Myren had a nasty fall from her highchair and cut her forehead, requiring a number of stitches. The same day, Danny Winfield had a sudden fall from a horse, dislocating his arm.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. James Brady on their future happiness together, which began August 21. Henry Beckett was groomsmen. A number of folks attended the wedding held in Mannville, despite the rain.

Reg. Vandervaele was a Saturday visitor in Fort Saskatchewan.

Miss Connie Vandervaele has spent the weekend with her parents.

Larry Pocock passed his Grade 9 departmentals and will be going on to school at Mannville. Visitors at the Nash home this week have been Nita White of Viking and Mr. and Mrs. R. Atchison and baby of Chauvin.

Miss Joan Hopfe of Viking has been visiting the Winfield family.

A large number of folks attended church Sunday, thirty-two on Sunday after Trinity. The sun shone warmly for the service, the first afternoon in two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Beckett, Errol and Christina were city visitors on Tuesday.

JOHANSSON TO REFEREE

EDMONTON — World heavyweight boxing champion Ingemar Johansson will referee an amateur card in Edmonton in early October.

Gordon Russell, coach at the Alberta Gym Boxing Club, said Johansson made the promise in a telephone conversation from his home in Gotsborg, Sweden.

HAVE YOU PAID YOUR SUB?

Wainwright School Division No. 32 Hold Regular Meeting of Board

Minutes of the Board meeting of the Wainwright School Division No. 32, August 7, 1959.

All members present.

Allen—that the minutes of the last Board meeting of June 26th be adopted as read. Cd.

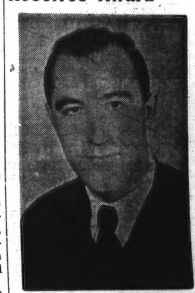
Mitchell—that the following resignations be accepted with regret. Cd.

Mr. C. R. Spornitz of Edgerton; Miss M. C. Macdonald of Wainwright.

Allen—that the following applications be accepted: Mr. C. Wilbraham, on behalf of the Wainwright Sea Cadets; Miss M. Hango B.A. for Wainwright H. S.; Mr. Wm. Yuskow for Wainwright Junior High. Cd.

Gordon—that Mrs. P. Worral

Kinsella Student Receives Award



Mr. George Carpenter

A fourth year Engineering student from Kinsella, Alberta, Mr. George Carpenter, has won the Sunwapta Broadcasting Scholarship award of \$200 which is especially interested in Engineering or Arts as applied to the broadcasting industry.

Receiving his primary Education in Kinsella and Viking, Alberta, Mr. Carpenter came to the Engineering faculty of the University of Alberta where he has won two honour awards and a first class standing.

During the summer months George works for the engineering department of the Canadian National Railroad and during the winter months, between studies, he carries on with his railroad interests thru his hobby of model train building.

A young man with a wide range of interests and talents, he participates in football and hockey at the University, assists his father on a farm in the Kinsella district, is developing an interest in design and development in the electronic field and is currently planning on earning a Master's degree following graduation this coming spring.

The awarding of this scholarship brings to a total of seven annual awards made by the Sunwapta Broadcasting Co. Ltd. in its endeavour to encourage young people to higher education.

Glen-Coa Cleanings

Mr. and Mrs. S. Fluevog and family of Vancouver have been visiting relatives and friends here, leaving for home on Tuesday of this week. They came chiefly to be present at the 50th wedding anniversary of Mrs. Fluevog's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wachter of Wainwright.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McKee had visitors also last weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Biswanger and family of Calgary.

A number of our little folks are looking forward to attending school this year: Maryanne and Marlene Bausok, Arne Gullbrae, Loraine Gullbrae, Dennis Erickson, Colin Russell, and Kathy Owen.

Mrs. F. Withall visited at Gwynne last week with her daughters there. Mr. and Mrs. Jack MacKay and Garnet accompanied by Mr. F. Withall, drove to Gwynne for the weekend also.

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be appointed as Principal of the Ribstone Public School. Cd.
Rattray—that all bus drivers be advised of new regulations issued by the Highway Traffic Board at an early date. Cd.
Mitchell—that we adjourn until 1:30 p.m. Cd.
Mr. and Mrs. F. Zajic of Edgerton were entertained by the Board at a Luncheon after which a presentation was made to Mr. Zajic for his long and faithful service to the Divisional Board in the capacity of trustee.

Mr. C. Wilbraham, on behalf of the Wainwright Sea Cadets, interviewed the Board and asked for a re-consideration by the Board for Store Space for the Cadets. This matter is receiving the early attention of Trustee John L. Mitchell.

Mitchell—that we advertise for sale the Batts and Passendale School buildings and sites and that the tenders be considered at the October meeting of the Board. Cd.

Mitchell—that schools open in this Division on Tuesday, September 1st. Cd.

Allen—that accounts in the amount of \$67,326.41 be passed for payment and that the same be included in the minutes of this meeting including vouchers No. 640 to No. 775 inclusive. Cd.
Mitchell—that Trustee Officer services be discontinued in Wainwright as of September 1st, 1959, and that Mr. Patterson be notified. Cd.

Mitchell—that we grant the use of the Denwood Auditorium for the Girl Guides under the direction of Mrs. J. Parks and that she be notified. Cd.

Rattray—that three new Vacuum Cleaners be purchased for the use in schools throughout the Division and that one be shipped to the Ribstone Public School.

Allen—that Mr. M. Nichol attend the next meeting of the M.D. No. 61. Cd.

Rattray—that accounts for administration be approved in the amount of \$204.13. Cd.

Hill—that this meeting adjourn. Cd.

The next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday, September 4th beginning at 9:30 a.m.

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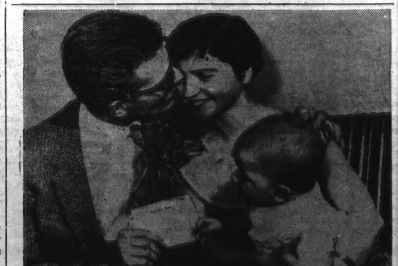
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BIRTHDAY GREETING — Montreal, Canada — Germain Allard kisses his wife Annette, one of the four surviving Dionne quintuplets, as he presents her with a pair of Rolodex Baller tickets on her 25th birthday. Looking on is the couple's seven-month-old son, 72nd Francolin.

HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE

By Kenneth A. Evelyn, M.D.

Director, British Columbia Medical Research Institute, Research Professor, Department of Medicine, University of British Columbia
Second of a two part series

SUGGESTIONS FOR RELIEF

At the risk of over-simplifying a very complicated problem in which many points are highly controversial, the best advice which one might give to a person who knows he has high blood pressure but who feels perfectly fit might be summarized under five main headings:

(1) Try to relax

You would probably have been better off if your blood pressure had never been taken or if you had remained completely ignorant of the fact that it is higher than it ought to be.

However, now that you have this information, the best thing for you to do is simply face the fact that high blood pressure is a potential threat to your future health. Just try to accept this philosophically in much the same way that most of us accept the fact that the cold war with Russia is such a threat, or that we run a definite risk of being killed in an automobile accident every time we set out for a drive.

Face the problem with courage and optimism—not stupid optimism based on unrealistic wishful thinking, but healthy optimism based on a knowledge of some of the basic facts about high blood pressure. Remember that the threat, though real, is something for the future, perhaps for the very remote future; therefore, don't rush out to meet it by brooding about it since this may give rise to the sort of anxiety which may easily saddle you with a host of symptoms of emotional origin, such as nervousness, fatigue, headache, dizziness and the like.

If you have such symptoms now, the chances are at least ten to one that they are completely unrelated to the height of your blood pressure. Just compare notes with someone you know who is worrying because he has low blood pressure; you will probably find that he has much the same symptoms.

(2) Improve general health

As long as you continue to feel fit you should ignore your blood pressure completely in your choice of work, sports, recreation and diet, both solid and liquid.

Obviously, this does not mean that you should not go on a diet in order to lose weight if you happen to be overweight—a very good idea whether your blood pressure is high, low or normal—but don't lose weight in the hope of curing your hypertension or you will probably be disappointed.

There are equally good reasons for correcting any other bad health habits you happen to have, no matter what your blood pressure level may be. But there is no scientific evidence at the present time to support the view that any of a long list of eating restrictions, such as cutting out all the foods you like and putting no salt on the remainder, will have any detectable effect on the course of the disease over the long haul.

Remember, though, that we are talking about you as you are now, hypertensive but fit. If and when you reach the stage where your wind is not as good as it was on the hills, it is clear that you must adjust your activities accordingly.

In other words, try not to do anything which produces symp-

oms. But don't deny yourself the satisfaction of engaging in any constructive occupation or other activity which you can handle without feeling undue strain merely in the hope that it will improve your blood pressure.

(3) Get regular advice

If you don't have a regular doctor, get one and let him do any of the worrying that needs to be done about your blood pressure. See him regularly and often enough to give him a reasonable chance to detect any sign of trouble in the early stages so that he can give you the benefit of whatever treatment is most likely to do you good.

The average healthy hypertensive patient is probably wise to visit his doctor three or four times a year. Don't postpone him to find out what your blood pressure reading is. The information won't do you any harm but if you are really interested in figures, cut the number of cornflakes you eat for breakfast in the morning—this will be about as accurate a guide to the state of your health as a single reading of your blood pressure.

You should realize that your blood pressure normally varies tremendously from one minute to the next or from one day to another in response to minor emotional and other changes. For example, if you average pressure is about 200, the individual readings recorded by your doctor over a period of 5 or 10 years will usually swing back and forth between 160 or 170 and 230 or 240.

The only reason your doctor takes your blood pressure at all is to have the information on record so that he can look back from time to time and get a rough idea of the overall trend.

If you are gullible enough to accept the common but altogether erroneous belief that you feel better on those days when your pressure is lower and worse when it is higher, you run the risk of forcing your doctor to lie to you just to keep you from becoming discouraged. Whatever else you do, do not have all the proper tools in working order—jack, screwdriver, lug wrench, flashlight, pliers, Toss in a medicine kit, a set of flares for night emergencies and a roll of paper towels for a quick cleanup until you reach the next washroom.

(4) Don't fear drugs

If your health continues to be good, but your doctor suggests that you should try some new drug for a few months, co-operate fully but don't regard it as a cause for great disappointment if the test is not successful.

New drugs are coming out all the time, but most of them are not sufficiently effective in lowering the blood pressure to be worth the expense, and their side effects are often too unpleasant to be endured day in and day out for the rest of your life.

People vary widely in their reactions to drugs, though, and every once in a while one encounters a patient who responds extremely favourably to a drug which is not very effective in the majority of cases.

Your doctor may feel that he owes it to you to find out whether or not you will fall into this fortunate group. If you don't, you are none the worse for having tried.

If and when you reach the point where your heart or some other organ can no longer make a completely satisfactory adjustment to the high blood pressure, your doctor will advise you to undertake whatever form of treatment is the best available at the time.

Give him your full co-operation even if the side-effects seem to be more of a nuisance than the symptoms which led your doctor to advise the treatment; you will have more to gain and less to lose at that stage.

But remember that if you are feeling fit now you probably have several years of perfect health ahead of you, no matter how high your blood pressure readings may be. Don't ruin these good years by senseless worrying which can't possibly do any good, and which may easily impair your happiness and efficiency far more seriously than the disease itself.

By the time you reach the stage where treatment becomes essential, the drugs your doctor will have at his disposal will probably be very much better than the best we have now.

Try to avoid the sad fate of the man who developed a little chronic bronchitis in 1935 and who spent the next 10 years keeping out of draughts and worrying himself frantic for fear that the bronchitis might turn into pneumonia. When, in spite of all his so-called precautions, he finally did develop pneumonia in 1945, his doctor's prognosis for him was more good than all his self-administered worry.

In conclusion, it should be pointed out that infectious diseases like pneumonia are a much

British schoolboys to tour Canada

The 11th group of British schoolboys to tour Canada under the W. H. Rhodes Canada Educational Trusts will arrive in Montreal Aug. 19 in the Cunard liner Carinthia.

The group will comprise 48 boys from secondary schools in Britain. They will be accompanied by two schoolmasters and I. W. Cunningham, deputy director of education, Glasgow, who will represent the Trusts' management. The tours were founded by Bradford industrialist W. H. Rhodes in 1938 following a pilot tour of eastern Canada by British schoolboys which Mr. Rhodes had sponsored the previous year. His aim was to establish friendships between British schoolboys and Canadians and to enlarge the boys' knowledge of this country.

Over the years the itinerary for the tour has been extended so that principal cities now visited include Quebec, Montreal, Toronto, Hamilton, Niagara, Sudbury and Ottawa. During each tour, it is arranged for the British Canadian boys of similar age, about 18½, in cities visited.

The tour ends on Sept. 4 when the British visitors sail from Montreal for England in the Cunard liner Sylvania.

Be prepared for highway emergencies

—THE DAILY SUN, BRANTON, MAN.

Carry an old shower curtain or rug with you on vacation or long motor trips this summer.

It will protect your clothes if misfortune strikes and you have to change a flat tire or effect emergency repairs to your car.

In fixing the flat tire, lay the spare wheel directly behind the flat tire, then run the flat up on the inflated tire of the spare wheel and set the brake. The extra height thus gained makes it easier to place the jack under the axle or bumper.

If you're a damsel in distress looking for help in changing a flat, place the spare wheel on the road side of the car. It stands out as a signal.

And before you leave home, be sure the spare tire is properly inflated and in good condition and that you have all the proper tools in working order—jack, screwdriver, lug wrench, flashlight, pliers, Toss in a medicine kit, a set of flares for night emergencies and a roll of paper towels for a quick cleanup until you reach the next washroom.

NO. 1 FIRE CAUSE

Smokers have been accused of being the largest single cause of fires in Canada. The carelessness of the smoker is to blame for destruction of forests, homes and, in many cases, lives, including the smoker's own. The careful smoker ensures that the match he uses or the cigarette butt is out before he discards it. A lit cigarette should not be left anywhere but in a deep ashtray, even for a few minutes.



MISS JAN PAWLIK

SPC appoints public relations superintendent

C. E. Smith, director public and employer relations for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation announced that Miss Jan Pawlik has been appointed to the position of public relations superintendent.

Miss Pawlik was born in Regina and received her education in Fort William, graduating in 1950 with a Grade XII in general business. Upon graduation, Miss Pawlik

easier nut for research to crack than general constitutional diseases like hypertension.

Nevertheless, it is perhaps not too optimistic to hope that many of today's younger hypertensive patients will live, thanks to some major break-through achieved by the campaign against high blood pressure on the research front which the Canadian Heart Fund will help to finance.

—THE HERALD, Macgregor, Man.



STEAMING UP is one of the four oldtime machines readied for action at the fifth annual Threshers' Reunion at Austin Man. This old case has never been inactive in 50 years of operation.



Threshers' reunion revives memories

Memories of pioneer days in Manitoba were renewed at the Threshers' Reunion held July 15-18 at the Manitoba Agricultural Memorial Museum southwest of Austin.

The expanded program this year featured among a variety of events, an old weight guessing contest, a flour grinding and open oven bread making demonstration and a musical stage show.

The popular parade of tractors and machinery took place daily. Other daily events that have attracted visitors were demonstrations of gas and steam engine threshing, steam engine plowing, obstacle and slow races for all types of engines and nightly folk dancing.

The annual Threshers' Reunion was initiated eight years

ago, with the incorporation of the agricultural museum. Since that time it has attracted a growing number of spectators, young and old alike. The number of farm implements and tractors has been increasing, as more farmers donate their relics of a bygone era to the museum.

The museum is located a mile and a half south of the Trans-Canada Highway on Highway 34 (one mile west and one and a half miles south of Austin).

HUMAN BLOOD

The plasma in human blood accounts for about 55 percent of the blood and red and white blood cells for about the other 45 percent.

Sweet Treat

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Honey Bun Coffee Cake

1. In an 8-inch square cake pan, melt 3 tablespoons butter or margarine. Drizzle with ½ cup honey and sprinkle with ½ cup broken salted nuts.
2. Scold ½ cup milk. Remove from heat and stir in ½ cup honey, ¼ teaspoon salt, ¼ cup shortening. Cool to lukewarm.
3. In the meantime, measure into a large bowl ½ cup lukewarm water, 1 teaspoon granulated sugar and stir until sugar is dissolved. Sprinkle with contents of 1 envelope Fleischmann's Active Dry Yeast. Let stand 10 minutes, THEN stir well. Stir the lukewarm milk mixture and 1 well-beaten egg ½ teaspoon vanilla into the yeast mixture. Sift together once ½ cup honey, 2 cups once-sifted all-purpose flour, ¼ teaspoon ground cinnamon.

Sift dry ingredients into yeast mixture and stir until well blended—about 1 minute. 4. Spoon mixture into prepared cake pan. Cover. Let rise in a warm place, free from draft, until doubled in bulk—about 1½ hours. Bake in moderately hot oven, 375°, about 35 minutes. Turn out of pan immediately. Serve warm.

Needs no refrigeration



Woman's Way

MADELINE LEVASON

FEMININE FOOTWEAR

The current vogue for pointed shoes is one feminine fashion approved by Canadian men.

When they first appeared, it was the women themselves who joked about shoes that looked like those "granda, used to wear." The men kept mum for a change, no funny stories about frivolous female footwear.

Actually the pointed toes and dainty heels are frivolous, but they look feminine. That is why men like them, according to Mrs. Elizabeth Hammond, director of the Canadian Shoe Information Bureau. She quotes shoe manufacturers and retail stores across the country confirming the male approval.

The style is essentially dainty and elegant and it is here to stay for quite a while, especially for dressy wear," Mrs. Hammond declares.

Despite its frivolity, the style has practical advantages too, she says. "Points make the shoes look longer but they also make them look elegant and therefore flattering to women of all ages. In addition, the style lends itself to lower heels and the higher instep cuts, which are more comfortable for older women."

Although the pointed shoes are a revival of a fashion first introduced during World War One, today's version is said vastly improved, both in its sleek appearance and in construction and workmanship.

An interesting sidelight on this fashion is that, for once, Canadian women were away ahead of their U.S. sisters in adopting it enthusiastically. American manufacturers introduced the style cautiously, and only this year are producing them in volume. Pointed shoes started catching on in Canada two years ago.

Pheasant coming to join dinosaur

—THE BULLETIN, Brooks, Alta. A giant scale model pheasant will arrive from Lethbridge in the near future to join the board of the dinosaur currently under construction at the junction of No. 1 and No. 26 Highways.

A gift from C.I.H.T.V. to the local board of trade, the pheasant was ordered by the TV station in Lethbridge. Exhibition Stampede parade and took second prize. It stands 14 feet high and measures 22 feet in length with a basic construction of wood framework.

The pheasant was presented to H. D. Pound, president of the B of T, by officials of C.I.H.T.V.

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The wandering Doctor rides into a Montana Gold Rush Town, saves a wounded young man who becomes his assistant. Action galore, set in the beautiful northwest, with background music of the popular song, "The Hanging Tree."

Color - Family Western

Alberta Weather For September

1st week 1-5:
Generally cool with temperatures in 40's, turning mild near end of week. Some showery activity is expected in north the first few days.

2nd week 6-12:
Continued mild with temperatures in 70's, turning cold near end of week. Look for some rain or showers around 9th and 10th and then clearing skies for another day or so.

3rd week 13-19:
More cold weather continuing for a couple of days, then look for temperatures to gradually warm to the 70's — generally mild by the 17th. Rainy or showery skies the 13th and 14th.

4th week 20-26:
Mild weather will subside with temperatures tumbling into 30's at many points, look for some cloudy skies, but little or no moisture expected. Increasing temperatures and some rain by 26th.

5th week 27-30:
With 2 or 3 days of moisture in the offing, look for temperatures to push back into the 40's and 50's for the most part. — Country Guide.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to say a special thanks to cousin Ron for getting me to hospital so promptly at the time of my accident; to those who sent lovely cards, chocolates, candy, fruit, soft drinks and books; also for the many phone calls. Mom received — my sincere thanks to all. —David Prior.

Wampum, which Indians sometimes used as a form of money, was made made of shell. Very early settlers occasionally paid tax bills with wampum.

Virtually complete dieselization of the CPR is planned by 1961; in the 15-year program \$250,000,000 will have been spent.

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Local News

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Routledge of Chilliwack, B.C. spent a few days last week with their daughter, Mrs. Art Gwin.

Other visitors at the Art Gwin home were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Routledge and boys of Loughheed and Miss Beverly Lowe of Ottawa, Ont.

Hobo Teas have been going strong here for the past two months. Mrs. Geo. Theroux and Mrs. Helen Whidden were co-hostesses at a hobo tea on Wednesday at the Theroux home where about 40 ladies in various attire enjoyed a jolly afternoon and a most delicious lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanna and daughters of Kitchener, Ontario, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Prosser when they stopped off at Irma while enroute to Vancouver. Mrs. Hanna is Ervin's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Sanders of Bradner, B.C. and former old-time residents of this district are visiting here at the home of their daughter, Mrs. H. Morse.

Mrs. Bertha Girard and Karen of Lethbridge were recent visitors at the Prosser home.

Messrs. C. Anquist and M. Enger are on a fishing trip this week.

Mrs. C. Pyle is visiting in Edmonton at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Cowper. The next meeting of the Irma WI will be held at the home of Mrs. McFarland on Thursday, September 3 at 2:30 p.m. Hostesses, Mrs. McFarland and Mrs. Jones; Raffle, Mrs. Scott; Surprise roll call; Program, Home Economics paper. Any member still having any pieces of the layettes are asked to have them turned in at this meeting, as the shipment must be sent immediately after. Visitors are always welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Haakon Larson, Mrs. V. Herbert, Mrs. C. Pyle and Mrs. Wm. Guy motored to Macklin, Sask. on August 19th to attend the funeral of a very dear friend.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Enger were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Enger and daughter, Mrs. Bud Smith and children of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. Einar Enger, Susie and Bobby of Chilliwack and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holt of Kamloops. These folk also visited with Mrs. Bertha Enger at Battle River Lodge.

Other visitors with the Martin Enger's were her uncle and two aunts, Mr. and Mrs. H. Magee of Stettler and Mrs. H. La Chappelle of Seattle.

Rev. and Mrs. Sheardown are holidaying at Moosomin, Sask.

Mrs. Ivan Currie is a patient in Viking hospital.

On Wednesday of this week, Open House was held at the Open Church manse in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Inglis whose marriage took place on August 19th. Gordon and Joan have just returned from a honeymoon trip to the States. On Friday it was Open House at the home of Ervin Prosser to welcome Mrs. Bob Harris, a recent bride who comes from Pinedale to her new home at Irma.

United Church Sunday School will re-commence on Sunday, August 30th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Savard are enjoying a visit from their daughter and husband from Vancouver.

As some wit said, "everybody talks about the weather but nobody does anything about it." The weather in these parts is certainly a topic of conversation and to say the least, the rains have held up harvesting operations and will continue indefinitely unless good old sunny Alberta makes a quick comeback soon. Edmonton reports that during the month of August up to August 27, there has been 19 days of rain.

NOTICE

Boxholders' and members of their family are asked to observe the following notice in the post office lobby:

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21-28p

WITH THE District Agriculturist

By J. S. Duncan

Thistle Control:

As one drives around the country one of the things which catches the eye are the number of patches of Canada and Sow Thistle growing along the roads and in fields. It is also noticeable that some farms have fields clean of thistle and that most of these farms also have sprayed or mowed the roads adjacent to the farm. It would seem that there must be more pride of ownership of the place with clean fields and roadsides than there is of the ones which show obvious lack of care. Proper use of 2,4-D will go a long way toward getting rid of thistles at very low cost in either cash or work. Patches in the crop can be cut for feed if spraying isn't feasible and so prevent the further spread of this troublesome weed. Fall cultivation of thistle infested land is also a very good practice.

Schools of Agriculture:

Anyone considering attending one of the Schools of Agriculture and Home Economics should get their application in if they haven't already done so. The course at these schools can be very valuable to both boys and girls. The term this year runs from October 27th to April 6th. Anyone wanting more information should write to "The Principal, Provincial School of Agriculture and Home Economics," at Vermilion or Olds.

Soil Analysis:

This is the best time of year to send soil samples for analysis. You get the results in time to make plans for next year's crop and fertilizer and it appears that results of analysis are closer to normal conditions if the samples are taken in the fall than when they are taken in the spring. Sample containers and information on taking samples are available from this office. The cost of analysis is 50¢ per sample.

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FOR SALE—International 10 ft. Room and Board. Home privileges. Phone 26, Mrs. Sivert Nilson, Irma. 21-S4p

FOR SALE—1 Dempster cultivator; 2 John Deere cultivators; 1 tandem 10 ft. disc-harrow; 1 bale elevator. Apply Carl Anquist, Irma. 21-28c

NOTICE

The Avon Beauty Parlor will be closed from August 25th to September 1st. 21-28c

WANTED—Permanent position by middle-aged woman — hotel work or housekeeping for clean, respectable gentleman, town or farm. State wages first letter. Reference supplied. Apply Mrs. Susan Smith, c/o Mrs. H. Fuhr, Irma, Alta, or phone 135. 28-11p

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NOTICE OF SALE Of Distressed Property

Public Notice is hereby given that under the provisions of Section 366 of the Municipal Districts Act, 1955 as amended, a sale of distressed property being a quantity of stacked upland hay will be held at 2 o'clock in the afternoon at the Office of William Masson, Irma, Alberta, on Saturday the 5th day of September, 1959 by Public Auction being the property of Mark Russell of Irma, Alberta, situated at or near the SW 30-44-9-4 and SE 25-44-10-4.

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